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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF)
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NIRO NAKAMICHI ET AL.) GROUP ART UNIT: 2754
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SERIAL NO.: 08/760,706) EXAMINER: A. CAO
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FILED: DECEMBER 5, 1996)
) ATTY. DKT. NO. 4076.73577
FOR: DISK PLAYBACK DEVICE)

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 3/18/98 and the Examiner interview conducted July 10, 1998, please enter the following amendment in the above application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel original patent claims 1, 4, 8, and 9. Also, please cancel the claims added in the reissue application numbered 27, 44. Finally, please add new claims 45-154 as follows:

45. A disk storage and playback device comprising:

a chassis;

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